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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 12 June 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 2.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicants' representative was contacted to clarify their election. Their response of April 23, 2008, to the election/restriction requirement of April 3, 2008, stated that Applicants elected an in vitro method; but, Claim 2 was amended to recite an in vivo method. Applicants' representative clarified that the invention to be examined is drawn to an in vitro method for identifying relevant test compounds, which are then tested in an in vivo method.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/SHERIDAN SWOPE/
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